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WEST VIRGINIA MAY DEFY COURT

Officials of That State Say Old Debt Cannot be Collected

PEOPLE ARE AVERSE

Arguments in Chronic Controversy Are Concluded Before United States Supreme Court.

Washington, April 30—West Virginia officials who are in Washington in connection with the argument of the Virginia debt case before the Supreme Court of the United States express doubt that the voters of that State will agree to the payment of its part of the Old Dominion's ante-bellum State debt in the event the court finds judgment for a large sum.

It is contended by these men that the Supreme Court has no constitutional authority to enforce the payment of moneys by one State in favor of another, and any decree it may hand down would constitute a moral and not a binding obligation upon West Virginia to pay.

This turn in the unofficial discussion of the debt case, showing the attitude and temper of the people of West Virginia toward the old debt controversy, formed an interesting feature of the case. No talk along this line was advanced in the courtroom, but the discussion was entirely in an undertone on the outside. When one prominent West Virginia official was asked in regard to it he said:

"Of course, I cannot be quoted; but I do not believe the people of West Virginia will stand for the payment of a large sum in the event the court's findings are against us. They may agree to the payment of asmall sum."

Another official would not answer the question directly, but he also said a judgment could not be inforced against West Virginia.

Representatives of Virginia in the debt case when asked in regard to this sentiment among West Virginia expressed the opinion that should a judgment be found against West Virginia that State would pay. One Virginia State official connected with the case declared the Supreme Court always has found means to inforce its decrees. He added that should the court lack necessary machinery to compel payment of such a judgment, Congress will be asked to provide it.

It is also pointed out that there is on record only one case where the Supreme Court's judgment was defied, and enforced its order. That case involved ownership of property in Missouri. Another view advanced is that the court could call on Secretary Garrison to place the army at its disposal so that it could take possession of the tax collecting machinery of West Virginia and thereby collect the judgment should such methods become necessary.

The old debt certificates, the bone of contention in the present legal battle, are mostly held in New York and Baltimore. Many of them were bought for a few cents on the dollar. They are now worth 56 cents on the dollar. A member of Congress from West Virginia in explaining recently the feeling against paying the debt said the people of West Virginia have been educated in the belief that the debt is not a genuine one.

There is a feeling that the case will be compromised ultimately by an agreement between the bondholders and West Virginia.

Arguments were concluded yesterday Former Attorney William A. Anderson closed Virginia's case, and Judge John H. Holt made the final statement for West Virginia. They elaborated upon the arguments submitted by the counsel during the two previous days. It would not be surprising should the court hand down its opinion before it adjourns in June for its summer vacation.

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FORT AT VIRGINIA CAPES

President Wilson's Plan for Carrying Out a Proper Military Policy

Washington, April 30—President Wilson is in accord with Secretary of War Garrison on the need of a immediate preparation of a proper military policy which the Secretary outlined in a letter to General Macomb, president of the Army War College. This statement was made yesterday by a competent authority.

The first result of the new policy will be the erection of a great fort at Cape Henry, armed with 16-inch guns, the land for which has been acquired.

The second will be the erection of a similar fort east of Sandy Hook. Notwithstanding the denial of some officials, this fort probably will be on Rockaway Beach. Sandy Hook fortications are satisfactory, experts say, for the channel entrance to the east of it, but it will require a fort with long range guns to command the deep-sea stretches to the southeast of Rockaway Beach.

Nine out of every ten officers, including those who will have the mapping out of the policy to be submitted to Secretary Garrison for final action are aware of the supreme importance of fortifying the entrance to Chesapeake Bay between Cape Charles and Cape Henry.

It was stated that the department officials have already eliminated the main proposition of the Endicott Board and the Taft Board that because of the distance between Cape Charles and Cape Henry it would be necessary to build an artificial island midway. The adoption of the 16 inch gun, with a range of at least 20 miles, makes such intermediate defense unnecessary.

After Washington and New York attention will be given to Panama, Hawaii and Manila.

The 16-inch guns for Cape Henry and New York will be equipped with disappearing gun carriage. It was thought that the immense weight of a 16 inch gun would make a disappearing gun carriage for it an impossibility.

The new policy will cover "preparedness at all times" on the issue of field artillery, rifles, ammunition reserve powder and the ways and means of bringing into existence a large army in an emergency.

LIONESS ATTACKS TRAINER

Exciting Contest With Enraged Animal in Jersey City

New York, April 30—George Woolsey, an animal trainer with Leavit & Meyerhoff's circus in Jersey City, had an exciting encounter with an enraged lioness yesterday afternoon and as a result is in Christ's Hospital.

The circus had just moved into Jersey City to take part in the week's celebration of the Order of Moose and the trainers were giving the animals an inspection after coming out of winter quarters. Woolsey had been through the cages of a number of animals, including those of several lions, and stepped blithely into the cage of Grace.

The lioness was ugly from the start and the trainer shouted at her and whacked her with a stick. With a roar she made for him, paws extended and mouth wide open. Woolsey put up his right arm and it was severely clawed. He grabbed Grace by the throat, but she bore him back against the bars of the cage and the trainer yelled for help. Two keepers sprang into the cage, while two more stood outside with loaded rifles. The keepers clubbed the infuriated lioness over the head and paws and fought her back into the corner, while a third man helped Woolsey out of the cage.

As soon as the men backed away from the animal she sprang at them. Down came two big clubs on the top of her head, and before she could recover from the blows the men were safely outside the cage. The lioness tore at the gate in a rage, and though the iron bars the men rained blows on her head until she sunk back out of range bruised and cowered. Woolsey was seriously injured.

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GERMAN VESSELS ON BELGIAN COAST

Reported to Have Shelled Dunkirk, Killing Twenty Persons

MAY ATTACK CALAIS

Belief in Paris That a British Fleet is on the Way to Protect the French Coast.

Paris, April 30.—German warships are operating on the Belgian coast, according to official information received at the war office.

It is stated that they have shelled Dunkirk nineteen shells falling in the city, killing 20 and wounding 45.

Whether the bombardment is being continued or the hostile fleet is steaming south to shell Calais and other points on the French coast is not yet known, the government limiting the information so far made available to a brusque statement that German warships are off the Belgian coast 300 miles from their base.

It is believed here that a demand already has been made on the British government to send ships to protect the French coast. Most of the new French warships are aiding the British forces in their operations in the Dardanelles.

It is believed here that already a squadron has been dispatched to head them off, and news of another naval battle is expected at any time.

GERMANY HITS BACK

Says England Started Measures Against War Prisoners

Berlin, April 30—The statements made by the House of Commons and the House of Lords by Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, Premier Asquith and Lord Kitchener regarding the treatment of the captured crews of German submarines and Germany's retaliation on British officers prisoners in this country, are regarded in high quarters here as well defined cases of "imputing to Germany responsibility for measures which were inaugurated by Great Britain."

It is pointed out in official circles that Lord Kitchener's reference to the provisions of the Hague Convention barring solitary confinement of prisoners of war, except as an indispensible measure of security, applies with full force to Great Britain's treatment of submarine crews, and that the Germans had not resorted to similar tactics until the British had set them an example.

It was stated that Mr. Churchill's announcement that American representatives would be allowed to visit the imprisoned Germans only if similar facilities were granted in Germany was rather ingenuous, in view of the fact that Great Britain and Germany had signed an agreement authorizing American visitations to prisoner camps ,and that Germany had given no intimation that she would violate this agreement. It was added that no note questioning Germany's good faith in this matter should have been sent to the American Embassy for transmission to the German government.

NOW CHARGES WHITE MAN.

Baltimore, Md., April 30.—The police took an unexpected step yesterday in the mystery surrounding the assault last Monday on Miss Ida Robins, the 22 year old stenographer at the paper manufacturing plant of Phillip H. Lindemeyer here, when they arrested Julius Ruperti, a married man, foreman of the plant, and laid two serious charges against him—assault with intent to kill and assault with intent to rape.

After the crime Miss Robins said a negro had assaulted her. Yesterday, however, she made a statement to the police, in which she said Ruperti struck her on the head with a hammer and then threw her to the floor.

She said he forced her with threats of killing her to swear that she would say a negro committed the crime. Miss Robins is in a serious condition at the University Hospital.

ITALY'S TERMS TO ENTER WAR.

Not to Engage During Present Stage of Hostilities

Rome, Italy, April 30—From persons in close touch with the war situation, as it affects Italy, there has been obtained information which indicates that the government has arrived at an understanding with Great Britain and France concerning the terms upon which Italy will enter the war, if she eventually decides to do so. This information while unofficial, is gathered from men who have made a close and careful study of the situation. The agreement is described as follows:

First—A provision for concerted military action. Italy will refrain from hostilities during the present stage of desultory trench warfare which would enable Germany and Austria to concentrate a large part of their forces against her. She will then make a blow contemporaneously with a general effort by the opposing armies of the central empires now in the field.

Second—An understanding concerning territory to be awarded to Italy in the event of victory.

Third.—A provision that after the war an alliance shall be formed between Italy and the present triple entente, of Great Britain, France and Russia.

It is intimated at the outset Great Britain was not disposed to make terms with Italy, but that Italy firmly declined to consider joining the Allies without first having reached a definite agreement with them concerning the nature and time of her co-operation, boundary readjustments after the war and permanent assistance from the Allies.

Italy is said to have received powerful assistance from French diplomacy in reaching the desired understanding on these points.

BOY KILLED BY GUARD

Inmate of Laurel Reformatory Dies in Richmond Hospital From Injuries

Richmond, April 30—Jessie Dudley said to have been the leader of the gang of boys which attempted to overcome their guards in the Laurel Reform School early yesterday morning, and who was hit over the head with a lantern by one of the guards died at the Memorial Hospital late yesterday afternoon of a fractured skull.

The guard who struck the boy will it is said be arrested on a charge of manslaughter. The guard is said to have been Aubrey Curtis, night watchman at the school.

The attack on the night watchman was made about 2 o'clock yesterday morning by Dudley, Thomas Stanley and Jacob Boffmoyer, all about eighteen years old. The boys secreted themselves in a toilet adjourning their bedroom and struck Curtis over the head with a stick as he passed the door on his rounds.

They then grappled with the watchtern as he attempted to overpower his assailants. Dudley was struck on top of the head and fell to the floor unconscious. The other boys quickly relieved Curtis of his eys and revolver, but sounds of the fight had reached other guards, and officer Cosby and Carter came hurrying to Curtis's assitance. Between them the boys were quickly overpowered and returned to their rooms. Few of the fifty six boys confined there were awakened.

Dudley was sent to the reformatory from Tazewell County on December 21. Stanley is from Martinsville, and Gossmoyer from Luray. Each of the boys is said to have had rather a bad reputation and have given considerable trouble to the reformatory authorities.

FINDS WOMAN STRANGLED.

Body in Field Furnishes Fayette County Mystery.

Uniontown, Pa., April 30.—Mrs. Frank Carman, aged 50, was found strangled in a field near her home in Dunbar at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The body, with finger marks on the throat, was found by Roswell Willis, of Dunbar, as he was crossing the field on his way to work. She was last seen alive last night, when she was preparing to go to the home of her sister, Mrs. George Bentz, at Mahoning, three miles from Dunbar.

There is no clew.

ALLIES HOLDING THE PENINSULA

British Repel Every Attempt of Turks to Dislodge Them

TURKS LOSE 5,000 MEN

Big Guns of Warships Smash all Traps Laid by Moslems—French Take 5,000 Prisoners

Athens, April 30—Reports here indicate that the occupation of the seaside of Gallipoli peninsula by the allies is practically complete.

The British forces on the European side have defeated with heavy losses every attempt by the Turks to turn them back on their ship. The casualties among the Turks in killed and wounded number 5,000 and many prisoners have been made.

The British have intrenched their various bases and are slowly feeling out the fortified positions along the peninsula. The heaviest fighting has taken place in the territory between Cape Suvla and the southern extremity of the peninsula.

There the Turks had strongly intrenched themselves, utilizing entanglements and masked pits, but the big guns of the warships smashed the traps and opened the way for the British advance.

On the Asiatic side the French troops are progressing along the lines planned and in every way are cooperating with the British. It is stated here that the French have captured more than 5,000 Turkish prisoners.

Following the all day bombardment of the forts on Wednesday, the heavier ships of the allied fleet remained in the straits all night, and resumed the bombardment yesterday. It is stated here that a number of the Turkish batteries in the vicinity of Karantina have been silenced.

From Mytilene comes a report that British troops have already occupied Maidos and Gallipoli, the principal towns on the Gallipoli peninsula.

LABOR MEN INDICTED.

Chicago, April 30.—Eight indictments charging restraint of trade through alleged interference with interstate shipments have been returned in federal court here against 18 labor leaders and 82 other indiviuals and corporations. Among the labor men indicted were:

Simon O'Donnell, president of the Building Trades Council; Michael Boyle, business agent of the Electrical Workers' Union; Charles W. Fry, business agent of the Machinists' union; Frank Condon, business agent of the Boilermakers' union.

A number of officers of the Chicago Lighting Fixture association and the Chicago Switch Board Manufacturers' association were named.

The indictments charged, alleged interference with the shipment of ice machinery to three Chicago companies and a brewing company Offenses are said to extend over a period from May, 1912 to April 1914.

Philadelphia, April 30.—Clasped in each other's arms, the bodies of Mrs. Amelia Lachenman, 60 years old, and her 3 year old granddaughter, Alberta Floyd, were discovered Wednesday in a gas-filled bathroom in their home, No. 2049 Emily street. Every crevice in the door and window of the bathroom had been stuffed with rags and paper, and gas was flowing from an open jet when policemen forced an entrance.

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Pittsburgh, April 30—Posing as society girls Audrey Garvin, 19 years old, and her sister Jeane, 16, nurse girls, entertained lavishly several students of the University of Pittsburgh and the Carnegie Institute of Technology at the home of their employer, Eugene S. Reilly, wealthy real estate man, while the Reilly family was away.

The girls wore the handsome gowns of Mrs. Reilly. Students abandoned their books to be entertained by the "buds" and both girls received proposals of marriage. The climax came when the Reilly family returned.

Audrey Garvin was seen by a student admirer in the garb of a nurse, pushing a baby carriage. His suspicions were aroused and a brief investigation convinced him and his companions that the "heiresses" were not genuine.

Later Mrs. Reilly missed some gloves and laces. The girls were arrested and were sent to a reform school.

LICENSE IS REFUSED

National Council Junior Order American Mechanics Connot Conduct Insurance Business

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette)

Richmond, April 30—License to do business in Virginia was today refused by Insurance Commissioner Button to the National Council Junior Order of American Mechanics, of Pittsburgh. The State chartered the Virginia State Council of Jr. O. U. A. M. some years ago, and it in a flourishing condition. It is not affiliated with the national council.

STATE INSPECTOR IN TOWN.

Visits Public Places And Issues Orders for Improved Conditions.

Julius Graham, representing the Pure Food Department of the State, has been in Alexandria during the past few days. He has visited hotels, restaurants, cook shops, dairies, groceries, bakeries, junk houses, etc, and where conditions are not in keeping with the sanitary laws of the state has issued orders for the immediate renovation of all such places. Mr. Graham is also casting his eyes upon alleys and other places where garbage or offensive or unsightly accumulations exist. He states that conditions in a number of places are unsatisfactory.

It is his purpose to make a close investigation of every place where articles of consumption are sold, and make additional visits to places which he has found are being conducted in a manner contrary to the pure food laws of the state, and where they have been ignored he will use the strong arm of the law to compel their enforcement.

Scouring and cleaning are now being conducted in places where food is dispensed.

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E. A. GORMAN
Administrator
29 10t

BELGIAN TROOPS BEAR THE BRUNT

Co-Operating With the French Fleet, They Repulse Attacks

ARTILLERY IS ACTIVE

Fighting Still Violent North and Northwest of Ypres, Where Teutons Have Been Halted.

London, April 29—The Belgian troops, their ranks thinned but unwavering again are bearing the brunt of the fighting in the region of Ypres.

The Belgian official statement issued today says that on the night of April 28 and on April 29 the Belgians, co-operating with the French, repulsed German attacks from Steenstraate.

Various parts of the Belgian front have been bombarded by the Germans but the Belgians have advanced and taken a farm south of Plauw-Vort Brug.

The Belgians have pressed forward vigorously to the north, along the west bank of the Yser, and have thrown back a German attack to the north of Ypres. This delivered late last night, seems to have been the final effort of the Germans.

The German guns have searched out Ramscapelle, Pervyse, Lampernisse and Osvleperen, towns five miles west of the canal, and the Belgians co-operating with the French, have replied vigorously.

The Belgian and French artillery has been particularly active in directing a violent fire upon the Germans who hold a bridge head at Steenstraate on the west bank of the Yser. This is one of the positions captured in their drive of last week, which so far the allies have failed to regain.

Fighting still is violent to the north and northeast of Ypres, but, apparently it is regarded as nothing unusual after the fierce intensity of the German drive and allied counter drive last week.

Here the German attack has been definitely halted and there are no signs that it will be renewed.

Unofficial reports reaching London today indicate that the Germans are preparing for a new drive. Halted at Ypres, it is rumored that their new offensive will be in the region of Arras.

It is reported that the new move will be made under the direction of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, hero of the two great German triumphs in the east.

Reports are also in circulation of a new German offensive at Armentieres, northwest of Lille.

Benjamin A. Sidle, alias George F. Huntley, pleaded guilty yesterday in the United States District Court in Richmond to an indictment charging him with sending a letter for fraudulent purposes through the mail to Conrad M. Zimerman, of Rossville, Md., and was sentenced by Judge Waddill to one year in the Federal penitentiary at Moundsvile, W. Va.

Go to J. M. Pettit's, 605 King St., tomorrow and see the prettiest display of geranium plants, scarlet sage, and cannas, in the city. Your especial attention is called to the quality of tomatoes he is handling, they are perfect. Also grape fruit, and oranges from the Indian River section of Florida. They are the finest in the world.

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MASONIC NOTICE.

There will be a called communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120, A. F. & A. M. held at the Masonic Temple, Thursday, April 29th, at 7:30 p. m. for work.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

The Willard W. C. T. U. were entertained at the home of Mrs. W. S. Stuart last night. A musical and literary program was rendered and refreshments were served.

Alexandria ladies, who have served the various banquets given in this city, have always received unstinted praise for the splendid manner in which they have undertaken their work. The latest evidence of this is the receipt of a letter from James H. Price, of Richmond, recorder of Acca Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, thanking the ladies who served the banquet during the visit here for their services. In this letter Mr. Price says:

"The Nobility of the Temple were so delighted with their visit to Alexandria, and particularly, with the splendid banquet which you and your assistants provided for them, that I am instructed, in pursuance of a vote of thanks by the Temple, to communicate to you assurances of our heartiest appreciation and gratitude. In our whole experience, we have never had a nicer, or more beautifully served banquet, and all of us cherish teh most pleasant recollections of the occasion."

With the Bishop of Virginia presiding, most of the Episcopal clergy of Richmond and the immediate vicinity and a large number of the laity assembled in St. James Church, last night, and joined in an appropriately simple service in commemoration of the death, just one year ago yesterday, of Rev. William Meade Clark, D. D., the eminent churchman who was, for nearly eighteen years, rector of that church and pastor of its congregation.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Seminole Land and Investment Company will be held at its principal office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, May 10, at 11 o'clock A. M. for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

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The House of Mystery.
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Jess Willard in
The Heart Punch
At the Opera House

PLANS FOR MEMORIAL

R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, Will Observe Monday, May 24th.

Plans for the observance of Confederate Memorial Day on May 24th, have been completed by R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans. The Veterans will meet in Lee Camp Hall on Prince street at 2 o'clock and march to the Confederate Monument at the intersection of Prince and Washington street, where a program will be rendered by the Confederate choir, under the direction of Miss Blanche Rotchford, and the Holy Name Society Band. They will then proceed to the Young People's Building, where the exercises of the day will be held. Commander William A. Smoot, will preside. The invocation will be delivered by the Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church. The orator of the day will be the Rev. J. W. Duffey, D. D., pastor of the Washington Street Methodist Church South, and chaplain of the camp.

At the close of the exercises at the hall the veterans will go to Christ Church yard, where a number of Confederate soldiers are buried. A salute will be fired over the grave by the Alexandria Light Infantry. During the day the cemeteries in the vicinity of Alexandria will be visited by committees and the graves of the old soldiers decorated.

MARSHALL HALL IS DRY

No more Drinks Can Be Bought at Summer Resort

Marshall Hall, on the Potomac twelve miles below Alexandria which for years has been the scene of festive summer outings and elaborate shad bakes became dry today.

It is diagonally opposite Mount Vernon and for a number of years has been a popular river resort. It goes dry because of the fact that it lies within Charles County, Md., which today banished King Alcohol.

Fifty-six saloons in the county closed their doors, and henceforth automobilists and fishermen who journey into the dry limits on pleasure excursions will be compelled to carry their drinks along with them.

FUNERAL OF YOUNG LACY.

Coroner's Jury Says Boy's Death Was Accidental.

Funeral services for Herman Lacy, the sixteen year old boy, who was killed by an electric car of the Washington-Virginia Railway at 14th and B streets, Washington, on Wednesday afternoon, will take place at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning from the residence of his grandfather at Addison Heights, Alexandria county. The remains were brought to Demaine's undertaking establishment, this city, yesterday and prepared for burial.

A coroner's jury in Washington yesterday declared Lacy's death to have been accidental. The crew of the two cars were summoned for testimony. It was the opinion the young man walked absentmindedly between the cars.

ASSUMES JURISDICTION.

Death Certificates And Burial Permits in Annexed District to be Issued in This City.

The Alexandria Health Department will take jurisdiction over the territory recently taken from Alexandria and Fairfax counties tomorrow. Dr. E. A. Gorman has notified all physicians, undertakers, and others interested, that death certificates, burial permits, and matters of similar nature, which have heretofore been issued by the authorities of the two counties, will after tomorrow be issued from his office.

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TO REORGANIZE LEAGUE

Mass Meeting Will be Held in the Interest of Civic Improvement.

The Civic Improvement League, which was organized several years ago for the purpose of stimulating the interest of the people of Alexandria in civic matters and which accomplished a great amount of good, is to be reorganized. For the past two years interest in the organization has lagged, and yesterday afternoon a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held for the purpose of discussing plans for reviving interest in the work of the association. Attending the meeting were A. D. Brockett, Taylor Burke, Worth Hulfish, John H. Trimyer, Frank L. Slaymaker and J. T. Preston.

An agreement was reached to hold a mass meeting of the people of Alexandria early next month at which time the league will be reorganized. A "clean-up" day will be arranged for and an effort made to secure the cooperation of all the citizens of the community.

DEATH OF MRS. PAYNE.

Mrs. Annie M. Payne, widow of Captain Alexander D. Payne, and sister of Mrs. William Herbert, of this city, and Mrs. J. Henry Rives, died yesterday at the Garfield Hospital, Washington. Her body was sent to Warrenton, Va., for burial, and her funeral will take place in that town tomorrow. Mrs. Payne is survived by four daughters.

EAGLES VISIT WASHINGTON.

Two Hundred Members of Alva Aerie Witness Conferring Degree.

Two hundred members of Alva Aerie, No. 871, Fraternal Order of Eagles visited Washington Aerie, No. 125, last night and witnessed the conferring of the degree of the order on a class of 60, 40 of whom were Alexandrians. The degree work was in charge of Luther T. Hayes, president of Washington Aerie and William L. Rammel, president of Alva Aerie. T. D. Downey marshalled the local division. A banquet followed the initiatory work.

BERRYMAN, THE CARTOONIST.

A great treat is in store for Alexandrians on Tuesday night when Mr. Clifford K. Berryman, cartoonist, for the Evening Star, will demonstrate how he draws his cartoons.

On the program with Mr. Berryman will be Mr. George O'Connor, of Washington, noted for his wonderful singing of humorous songs. His records for the Columbia and other phonographs are very popular, and it will be most interesting to see him and hear him sing.

Miss Geraldine Boush, the gifted young soprano, also of Washington, will sing a solo. A soprano solo by Mrs. Robert F. Downham, and tenor solo by Mr. Kenneth W. Ogden, will add much to the pleasure of the evening.

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PHILADELPHIA WANTS CRUISERS.

Owing to a change in orders from the Navy Department, it i s said, the German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, which was scheduled to leave Newport News yesterday morning for Portsmouth, where the actual internment of the sea raider will take place at the Navy Yard, did not leave. It is reported that the cruiser will not be transferred until Monday. It is known that a strong effort is being made to have the Wilhelm sent to Philadelphia, and that the order of Secretary Daniel sending the ship to Portsmouth has been held in abeyance until Saturday to hear the objections and arguments in favor of the internment at the Virginia port. The suggestion that there is not room at the Norfolk navy yard to intern this ship is absurd.

There is much "gush" concerning fraternal feeling between the north and south at reunions of veterans of both sections of the country, but jealousy which is so often apparent upon the part of some northern cities to the rapidly growing south is often seen. The fact that the German cruisers now in Virginia waters rushed within the capes for protection from hostile vessels should be sufficient reason to keep them where they are until the close of hostilities.

The establishment of a regional bank in Richmond caused disgruntlement to Philadelphia and Baltimore, and some time ago, when the government announced its purpose to establish an armor plant every effort was made in certain sections to prevent its location in the South.

The old frigate Constellation recently made a visit to Washington where it was inspected by thousands who came to Washington daily. It was suggested at the time that this relic of other days be allowed to remain at the Washington Navy Yard, where it would have been gazed upon by people from every quarter of the country. This could not be, however, as clamors were made for its return to the northern port from which it came. Now there is objection to the German raiders being allowed to remain in Virginia waters.

WEST VIRGINIA IS DEFIANT.

As will be seen by an article elsewhere in the Gazette, should a judgment adverse to West Virginia be rendered by the Supreme Court in the debt question which has been a bone of contention between new and old Virginia since the close of the civil war, there will be manifested a disposition upon the part of the offspring of the Old Dominion to ignore the mandate, or, in plain language to defy any attempts to collect the portion which will be assigned West Virginia. This is unfortunate, as it has been generally supposed that a decree from the highest tribunal in the land was an end of all controversy and would be submitted to by all good citizens.

Without threshing over the many arguments, equitable as we believe, that have been urged by Virginia during the past half century to bring about a satisfactory settlement of this vexatious issue, we merely repeat what was said by Virginia representatives a few days ago, that the people of West Virginia were allowed to form a new state with the understanding that they must recognize whatever obligations they incurred with the parent state. This the present generation is anxious to repudiate.

The argument used by counsel representing West Virginia that the people of that state have been educated to believe Virginia's claim is unjust is untenable.

It is suggested that should Virginia be sustained by the Supreme Court and the people of the new state refuse to abide by the mandate, the Secretary of War could send troops into that commonwealth and seize the tax-collecting machinery and compel obedience. It is hoped that no such course may be necessary, and that the good people of the young and growing state may be found in the majority should the purpose of others to avoid the payment of a just claim be proposed.

MILLION AND A HALF OF CRIPPLES.

British Government actuaries have estimated that if the war continues for two years disability—that is, injuries which have resulted in permanent crippling—will amount to 12 per cent. Calculating upon a basis of an army of 2,000,000 men, Great Britain will have to face as one of the first problems of peace the care of 240,000 disabled men. If the war continues for two years the armies in Europe will aggregate at least 22,000,000 men, which means, if the actuaries of the British government have estimated correctly, that the various belligerent countries will have upon their hands 2,640,000 cripples.

PASTOR COMES TO THE RESCUE.

The brute who read in the Bible, "and behold there was silence in heaven for the space of half an hour," and concluded that the words proved conclusively that there are no women in heaven, has received a just rebuke from a Boston minister.

There are more women than men in heaven, according to the Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, pastor of the Warren Avenue Baptist Church of the "hub" although he fails to show upon what basis he makes his deduction.

NEWS OF THE DAY

The American steamer Greenbrier has been sunk by a mine in the North Sea while in charge of a German pilot.

Reports in Paris and London that Italy is negotiating with powers of the triple entente are declared in Rome to be baseless. Surprising developments are expected.

British naval losses up to the end of March totaled 417 officers and 6,330 men killed, a total of 6,747. During the month of February, March, and April, 31 ships were torpedoed by German submarines.

A telegram from Salonika says that Gen. Lhiman von Sanders, German commander of the Turkish forces at Constantinople, has had the famous mosque of St. Sophia mined and intends to blow it up the moment the government quits the capital.

Charged with having illegally loaned themselves $1,237,000 belonging to 18,000 stockholders scattered throughout the country, Charles A. Elder and eight other former officials of the Los Angeles, Cal., Investment Co., were indicted by the county grand jury yesterday.

Charles Hayward Turner, a former commission merchant on the New York Produce Exchange, late yesterday shot and killed his 5 year old child as it slept and them committed suicide. Turner's wife, who had been to a theater, found the bodies upon her return. Turner was said to have been in poor health.

The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company is justified in charging customs for telephone service for periods during which the service is suspended for nonpayment of bills, according to an opinion formally announced yesterday by the Public Utilities Commission.

In an outspoken editorial article, The London Daily News vigorously condemns Japan's attitude toward China. Japan's new proposals to China show concessions, according to the Japan Mail. They are said to omit the demand for the nonalienation of China's coastal territory. Out of consideration for Great Britain, some modification is considered probable relative to railroad concessions in south China.

The Central News says that a hostile aircraft passed over Ipswich, Eng., last night, dropping a bomb which set fire to buildings. Five houses were totally destroyed, three others were badly damaged, and two were damaged slightly. A Zeppelin passed over Bury St. Edmunds, in Suffolk county, about midnight, dropping several bombs upon the town and setting fire to several buildings.

A complaint was filed yesterday in Milwaukee, Wis., under the so-called "discovery" statute of Wisconsin to secure information to determine whether the Allis Chalmers Company, a corporation; Otto Falk, its president, and others have entered into a conspiracy with the Bethlehem Steel Company and others not yet known to manufacture and ship shrapnel shells to European belligerents, contrary to the Wisconsin law.

Pierre M. Looker, former president of the Monaton Realty and Investment Corporation, with main offices in New York and branches in Hartford, Bridgeport, Providence, Philadelphia, Chicago and other places, was found guilty last night in the United States district court in New York on seven counts of an indictment charging him with misuse of the mails in promoting the sale of securites of the Monaton Company. The indictment charged Looker with defrauding investors to the extent of $1,000,000 by representing that the corporation was paying dividends as high as 10 per cent as the result of its dealings in apartment house properties in New York and Brooklyn.

VIRGINIA NEWS

John C. Paxson, 90 years old, died Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. P. Pancoast, of Purvellville, Loudoun county.

Pellagra claimed its first victim in Page county Thursday. Mrs. David Jenkins died from the disease at her home 10 miles south of Luray. She was about 30 years old and is survived by a husband and four children.

In a running fight with two negroes in the Atlantic Coast Line yards at Dunlop, three miles from Petersburg, E. W. King, a detective in the employ of the railroad, was shot in the right thigh yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The negroes escaped.

Asbury Chapel, the historic Methodist Church in Spotsylvania County, named for and in honor of Bishop Asbury, was destroyed Wednesday by fire, having caught from forest fires in the neighborhood.

Miss Eleanor Irving, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. David O. Irving, of East Orange, N. J., was married last night to Theron Hart Brown, Jr., of Richmond, Va., in Bethel Presbyterian Church, East Orange, of which her father is pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will live in Petersburg, Va.

Robert Cromie, 76 years old, a veteran of the Civil war, was murdered yesterday at the National Soldiers' Home, at Hampton, and William J. Harrison, who served in the Spanish-American War, is under arrest, charged with the crime. The two men had a quarrel at the breakfast table.

R. M. Rolley, 19 years old, son of Captain W. J. Rolly, of Norfolk, was arrested yesterday in Hamilton charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. He is said to have been found soliciting money from business men, claiming to be the representative of the Athletic Association of the Hampton High Schools. It is said by the police that the boy has operated in Norfolk, Newport News, Baltimore and Dallas.

Judge William A. Moncure has appointed B. Frank Dew and Attorney B. R. and Wellford receivers for the Union stores, Inc., doing a grocery, house-furnishing and restaurant business in Richmond. The company owes $20,060 and has stock amounting to $7,000. The company claims unpaid stock subscriptions will pay all liabilities. The Union Stores, Inc. began business about one year ago, the stock being sold at $10 a share, the purpose being to operate on a co-operative plan. More than 800 stockholders failed in making their monthly payments for stock.

Word has been received in Charlottesville from Honolulu that the contest to break the will of Mrs. Thelma Parker Smart, the young Hawaiian heiress who died a few months ago in San Francisco, has been definitely compromised, and that the court cases have been dropped. By the terms of the compromise, Mrs. Elizabeth Knight, mother of Mrs. Smart, gets the custody of the baby, Richard, until he is sixteen years of age, and is given $1,500 a month. The father, Richard Gaillard Smart, youngest son of the late Rev. R. D. Smart, D. D., for several years pastor of the First Methodist Church, in Charlottesville, remains the legal guardian of the child, and is to receive $2,000 a month income from the estate.

Stockholders' Meeting

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Virginia Marble Co., will be held at 305 King Street, Alexandria, Va., on Wednesday, May 12th at 2:00 p. m., for the purpose of electing officers, etc.

I. H. SAUNDERS, Secty

REFUSED TO SWEAR OFF

Clergy of the Church of England Opposed to Total Abstinence.

The clergy, comprising the lower house of the convocation of Canterbury are willing to set the nation an example in the matter of temperance, but they are not willing to abstain entirely from alcohol. This was the sense of the meeting today at the lower house, which passed a resolution "inviting the clergy and laity of the church of England to set an example of self sacrifice" in the matter of alcoholic liquors.

Several members voted only after being assured that total abstinence was not expected of them. The Dean of Canterbury said flatly he refused to swear off altogether. He had tried it before he said, and found it a failure in that it impaired his health.

Norfolk Oysters daily at the Rammel Hotel.

OFFICE OF THE

Lanston Monotype Machine Company
Philadelphia, April 14th 1915

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company will be held at the Elks Home, corner Prince and Royal Streets, Alexandria, Va. at twelve o'clock noon on Thursday the 6th day of May 1915 for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

Transfer books will be closed on April 26th at four o'clock P. M. and will be reopened on May 11th at ten o'clock A. M.

By order of the board of directors
W. ARTHUR SELLMAN
Secretary.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
S. H. LUNT, Auctioneer.

Of valuable property consisting of six houses and fifteen acres of land.

By virtue of a deed of trust made by Susan P. A. Calvert and George E. Calvert, her husband to the undersigned Trustees, bearing date on the 21st day of July 1905 and recorded in deed book No. 54, page 146, in the land records of Alexandria City Virginia, and deed book 112 page 162 in the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, default having been made in the payment of the interest due on the indebtedness so secured, the undersigned Trustees at the request of the holder of the note secured by the said deed of trust, will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Market house, in Alexandria City, SATURDAY, MAY 22nd, 1915 at 12 o'clock M. the following described lots of ground with improvements thereon and fifteen acres of land unimproved.

FIRST—All that lot of ground with buildings thereon in the City of Alexandria, situated on the north side of Duke Street between Payne and West Streets, and bounded as follows; beginning on the north side of Duke street at the west side of the two story brick dwelling No 1211 Duke street, at a point supposed to be 98 feet west of Payne street, and running thence west on Duke street 25 feet, 5 inches to the west wall of the three story brick dwelling on the lot of ground hereby conveyed, thence North parallel with Payne street 100 feet to a 16 feet alley, thence east on said alley 25 feet 5 inches, and thence south in a direct line 100 feet to the point of beginning, with all appurtances thereto belonging.

SECOND—All that lot of ground with buildings thereon, in the City of Alexandria Virginia, bounded as follows, Beginning at the intersection of the north side of Duke street with the west side of Payne street, and running thence west on Duke street 98 feet, thence north parallel with Payne street 100 feet to a 16 feet alley, thence east on said alley 98 feet to Payne Street, and thence south on Payne street 100 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances thereto belonging.

Above property better known as Nos. 1301, 3, 5, 7, 9 11, Duke street.

THIRD—All that certain tract of land, containing 21 1-2 acres designated as No. 5 on the plat annexed to the deed of partition between Thomas W. Swann and Helen M. Swann his wife and Hampton C. Williams and Frances A. Williams his wife, and others, recorded in Liber Z No. 3 page 51, one of the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, and being the property inherited by the said Susan P. A. Calvert from her mother the late Helen M. Swann, and lying on the north side of the Leesburg road and on the east side of what is known as Mt. Vernon Aveune, in Alexandria County, Virginia except that portion of the said tract of land conveyed by the said Susan P. A. Calvert and her husband to the Washington Southern Railway Company, leaving about 13 acres of said lot and including also two acres purchased by the said Susan P. A. Calvert from Mrs. Alexander Chapman Williams, making in all about 15 acres.

The said land being now occupied by Schaffers greenhouse under a lease.

Terms of sale—Cash, conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

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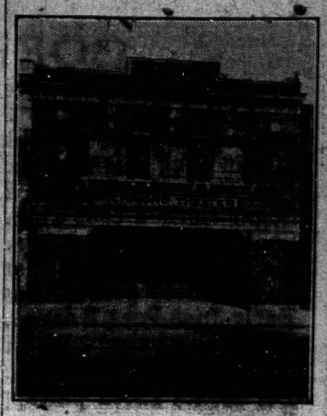
Richmond Theater



The House of Star Productions

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

EXPLOITS OF ELAINE
Sixteenth Episode The Cryptic Ring
Pearl White, Arnold Daly as Craig Kennedy and Edwin Arden as Wu Fang.

Sindey Drew, Mrs. Sidney Drew, Courtlandt Van Deusen and Betty Gray in,
The Timid Mr. Tootle's
Special two part Vitagraph comedy

Lubin presents,
In the Background
Margaret Prussing, Richard Tucker and Duncan McRae in,
Landing of the Pilgrims
Edison drama.

SATURDAY
Lubin presents,
The White Mask
Three parts.

Bessie Eyton and Thomas Santschi in,
His Fighting Blood
Two part Selig Drama.

TUESDAY
World Film Corporation presents, Howard Estabrook and Barbara Tennant in,
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Shubert feature—5 acts from the story by Bret Harte.

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City Hall, April 24, 1915.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office addressed to J. B. Fitzgerald, Chairman Committee on Light, until 8 P. M. Wednesday May 5, for furnishing the Gas Works with five thousand tons, more or less of gas coal (2,240 pounds to the ton) to be delivered on trestle at Gas Works, Alexandria, Virginia, during the fiscal year commencing June 1st, 1915, and ending May 31st 1916, orders to be accepted by the successful bidders any date after awarding contract, so that coal will arrive at works on or before June 1, 1915

The coal must be Monogah, Tyconnel, Youghiogheny, Montana, Westmoreland, Fairmount, Lincoln, or other gas coal of equal or superior yield and candle power and must be 3-4 screened Bidders can give their figures on all of the mines and are required to give candle power yield and analysis per ton.

In routing coal bidder must ship by Southern Railway provided, however, that rates are not in excess of competing lines rendering similar service

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Terms:— Cash on 15 day of each month following the delivery of coal

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WAR MAPS OF EUROPE

The Alexandria Gazette has received 25 copies of the most wonderful map of Europe ever published. It is 5 x8 feet in size. Every railway line, steamer line, fort, and town in Europe is clearly shown. These copies will b sold for $1.00 each. Even if you do not wish to buy one call at the Gazette office and see this remarkable map.

LOST—On Saturday, April 24th, 1915, a pair of gold rimmed eyeglasses, with black automatic fastener attached. Lost between the corner of Prince and Pitt streets, or on Royal street from Prince to The market house. Finder will please return to Mrs Mark L. Price 415 Prince street, The Virginia Apt.

FOR SALE—Two throughbred Jersey cows, one fresh. Both heavy milkers. Excellent family cows. J. R. Eddington, King street road. 26-3t

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In effect December 10, 1914.
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Leave Alexandria For Washington—Daily Except Sundays and Holidays.

A. M.—5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 10, 7 20, 7 30, 7 40, 7 50, 8 00, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20 12 40, Noon 12 00.

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 55, 8 00, 8 20, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays

A. M.—7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00. 11 20, 11 40, 12 00 noon.

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 30, 10 30, 11 10.

Leave Alexandria For Mt Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55 8 55, 10 30, 11 30,—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 35, 5 35, 6 35, 7 35, 8 52, 10 20, 11 50.

Sundays—A. M.—7 55, 8 55 10 30, 11 30,—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 35, 5 35, 6 35, 7 35, 8 52, 10 20.

FOR SALE

On account of the death of Robert L. Monroe, junior member of the firm of Garrett and Monroe, wholesale groceries of this city, it has been decided to close out the business, and the entire stock of groceries and liquors, as a whole or in part, including the old and reliable good will is now offered for sale. This old established firm has been conducting a profitable business at 411 Cameron St, this city, during the past 25 years. They succeeded the firm of Kelly and Carr who conducted the same line of business at this stand years prior to selling out to Garrett and Monroe. This old established house is well known throughout the counties of northern Virginia and its many years of successful business should be a guarantee for a safe investment, For further particulars apply to

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Onyx Hosiery for men in black, white and all the new colors pair 25c, 50c, $1.00

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New standard patterns each 10c and 15c.

NOTICE

To the Policy Holders and Clients of the Late Julius Pelton

We wish to announce that the insurance business of the late Julius Pelton will be continued by

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And as Mrs. Pelton retains an interest in the business, we respectfully solicit the continued patronage of the customers and friends of the late Julius Pelton.

Agricultural Ins. Co., Watertown, N. Y.
Equitable Fire Ins., Co., Charleston, S. C.
Glens Falls Ins., Co., Glens Falls, N. Y
Phoenix Ins., Co. Hart-ford, Conn.
Southern Underwriters, Greensboro, N. C.

PLANS FOR NEW RAILROAD.

All Rail Route From Newport News to Washington.

Old Point, Va., April 30.—Completion of the projected Norfolk, Washington, and New York Railroad, a start in the construction of which is promised in July, will reduce the direct traveling distance forty miles from Norfolk, Old Point, and Newport News to Washington, Baltimore, and points North. The time will be reduced by at least one hour straight running, and as the route is direct to Washington without change there will be even greater saving of time because of the wait now necessary in Richmond, by reason of the transfer from the Chesapeake and Ohio and Norfolk and Western railroads to the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac. Variance in schedules usually necessitates a short layover in Richmond.

The passenger trains over the new road will cover the 159 miles to Washington in something less than four hours, according to the promoters, several of whom were here this week in connection with the final revised surveys of the municipal boat harbor, donated by the city of Newport News as the terminus of the road. The route will take the line across the York, Rappahannock and Potomac rivers into Maryland, touching at the government proving station at Indian Head, Md., and reaching the freight terminus at Shepherd, Md., which is almost opposite Alexandria, Va.

The $8,000,000 estimated for track and bridge construction is in hand, and the $8,000,000 originally estimated for terminal construction at Newport News and for equipment is also ready to guarantee beginning of work on piers and rolling stock. Rights of way have been perfected through all of the counties except York and Elizabeth City, and the final papers will be drawn in those counties by May 15. For the terminals the city of Newport News donated twenty-two acres of land on the east side of the municipal harbor, and the Old Dominion Land Company donated nineteen acres on the west side of the harbor.

Channing M. Ward, of Richmond, is president and chief engineer of the new company. When here this week he declined to name the backers, but admitted that New York capital was the dominant factor. While the officers of the company have been established temporarily in Richmond, it is learned that operations are being handled from the New York end at 52 Broadway.

Starting physically at Newport News, the route will pass through Elizabeth City and York counties to Yorktown, will cross the York River to Gloucester Point and pass through Gloucester County, entering Middlesex County at Saluda.

It will go through Essex County and follow the Rappahannock River to a point three miles below Leedstown, where it will cross the Rappahannock into Westmoreland County and pass through King George, striking the Potomac River at Matompkin Point. Here it will cross into Maryland at Riverside, Charles County, and striking Indian Head on the Potomac will follow a straight line to Shepherd's. It is understood the road will enter Washington by ferry as well as rail, the latter route carrying it a short distance up the eastern branch, cross one of the railroad bridges and into the Union Station at Washington. All of the bridges to be constructed will be of the modern draw type. The greatest problem was encountered in securing permission for that across the Potomac, in view of the constant stream of traffic.

HIT TRAIL AND BACKSLIDES.

Hagerstown, Md., Saloonkeeper Declares Revivalists Promised Pay.

Hagerstown, Md. ,April 30.—Following a protest filed yesterday against the renewal of the saloon license of Cyrus J. Shipp by the Rev. Dr. A. B. Stratton and four women, Shipp charged that when he "hit the trail" at the Biederwolk revival now in progress here he was promised by the church people that they would buy his stock of liquor.

When a price could not be agreed upon, Shipp said, he reopened his saloon and has been selling "booze" since. He also applied for a renewal of his license, which expires today. Dr. Stratton, who is pastor of St. Paul's United Brethren Church, is one of the leaders in the Biederwolf campaign which is being held in a large tabernacle here.

To the People of Alexandria

We recommend a two ring arch of brick, cement and sand for arching wells. No fumes afterwards.

REED AND WADE
Bricklayers 304 Prince St., Alex., Va.

UNWRITTEN LAW PLEADED.

Barrett Cleared of Attempted Murder of Brother-In-Law

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 30—After a trial lasting two days Stewart Barrett, a young farmer of this county, was acquitted yesterday on the charge of the attempted murder of his brother-in-law, Grant Stevens. The unwritten law figured in the case although the plea was that of self-defense.

Several months ago Barrett's wife left him and went to London, Ohio, and Barrett later instituted suit against Stevens for $2,500 charging that Stevens had alienated her affections. The two men met on a road in January near their homes, and Barrett emptied his revolver at Stevens, two bullets taking effect in the arm and body. He then clubbed Stevens over the head with the empty gun.

Barrett claimed that Stevens first made a motion as if to draw a weapon from his hip pocket. Mrs. Barrett was brought here from London, Ohio, to testify against her husband, but Judge Woods would not permit her to go upon the stand and she sat in the courtroom and chewed gum during the trial.

MANY INJURED IN WRECK.

Lake Shore Electric Cars Collide And Burn in Ohio.

Fremont, Ohio, April 30.—Between 30 and 40 persons were injured, one probably fatally, when two interrurban cars on the Lake Shore Electric Railroad collided near here late yesterday. Fire broke out in the wreckage immediately after the crash and both cars were burned.

According to Lake Shore officials, the car was bound for Fremont and was to have gone into a siding near the scene of the wreck, but for some reason which has not been ascertained failed to do so.

CLEMENCY ASKED FOR WHITE.

Letters And Messages Pour in And Friends Offer Assistance.

New York, April 30.—More than 1,000 letters and telegrams asking clemency for Phillip T. White have been received by Justice Aspinall in the 24 hours that have elapsed since J. W. Masury & Co's. $6,000 a year sales manager halted his trial by dramatically confessing in court he had headed on auto bandit gang.

The messages were from the former auditor's friends and business acquaintances. Many offered assistance to White. Some were from Masons.

Determination to stand by her husband and rejoin him when he had served his sentence was announced today by White's wife. White maintained an expensive home in New Jersey and had not been suspected by his wife of participation in the robberies.

A sequel to his dramatic confession came today when the three men who did the actual robbing appeared before Justice Aspinall and pleaded guilty in the third degree to assault and robbery.

The men were Thomas H. Dally, a chauffeur; Robert S. Roberts and Benjamin Stifter, alias Benjamin Moore.

By R. F Knox, Auctioneer

Pursuant to the terms of a decree entered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 20th day of April, 1915, in a certain Chancery cause therein depending, wherein Harriet Etta Beander is Complainant and Rachael Jeannette Beander, widow, et als, are the Defendants, the undersigned who was by the terms of the said decree appointed Special Commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building on Monday the 10th day of May 1915 at 12 o'clock noon, all that lot of ground with the improvements thereon in the said City of Alexandria Virginia, bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a point on the east side of St. Asaph street 86 feet south of Gibbon street, and running thence south on St. Asaph street 18 feet; thence east parallel to Gibbon street 113 feet 5 inches to a point 10 feet from the middle of the square; thence north, parallel to St. Asaph street 18 feet and thence west parallel to Gibbon street to the beginning, together with all appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining, which proerty was conveyed to Philip Henry Beander, deceased, by Henry Arnold and wife by deed dated the eighth day of March, 1893, and duly recorded amongst the land records of the said City of Alexandria, Virginia in Deed Book No. 29, at page 313.

Terms of Sale; Cash. Conveyancing at cost of purchaser.

H. NOEL GARNER.
Special Commissioner of sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the Cty of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that the bond required by the above mentioned decree has been duly given.

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8:47 A. M. —Daily— Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

8:37 A. M. Daily— U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop First class coaches Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:32 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro and Charlotte.

3:52 P. M. Daily— local for Charlottesville connesting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston Birmingham, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville, Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham, Dining car service Tourist to California daily.

4:12 P. M. —Limited for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

6:12 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

10:02 P. M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M. Daily— Memphis special Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville,, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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